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The Lorraine Hansberry drama
"A Raisin in the Sun" opened
at New York's Ethel Barrymore
Theater

Feb 3, 1959

A plane crash near Clear Lake, Iowa
claimed the lives of rock-and-roll
stars, Buddy Holly, Ritchie Valens
and J.P. "The Big Bopper" Richardson

Feb 6, 1959

The United States successfully
test-fired for the 1st time
a Titan intercontinental
ballistic missile from Cape
Canaveral

1959

Population

A. Europe (exclude Russia)	423 Million
B. North America	261 Million
U.S. A	180 million
Canada	18 million
S. America	137 million
C. Asia (exclude Russia)	10622 Billion
Soviet Russian	211 million
D. Africa	236 million
(over)	

E. Oceania

F. Anartica

19.59
16 Meltin
Nil

1959

A new "loaded" Ford
sold for a little over
3000 00
in Hillborno, TX

1959

World Population
2.906 Billion people

1959

Estimate

742 million Christians worldwide

422 million Catholics (Roman)

193 million Protestants

127 million Greek Orthodox

315 million Moslems

260 million Hindus

765 million Buddhists

12 million Jewish faith

Jan. 25, 1959

American Airlines opened the
jet age in the U.S. with the
1st scheduled transcontinental
flight of a Boeing 707.

1959

Cuban Revolution

Jan 1, 1959

Fidel Castro led Cuban revolutionaries
to victory over Fulgencio Batista

Aug 21, 1959

Pres. Eisenhower signed an executive order proclaiming Hawaii the 50th state of the Union.

Nov 18, 1959

"Ben-Hur," the Biblical - era spectacle
starring Charlton Heston, had
its world premiere in New York

Jan 8, 1959

Charles De Gaulle was inaugurated
as president of France's Fifth
Republic.

Jan 3, 1959

Pres Dwight Eisenhower signed
a proclamation admitting Alaska
to the Union as the 49th state

Sept 14, 1959

The Soviet space probe Luna Two became the first man-made object to reach the moon as it crashed onto the lunar surface.

Sept. 19, 1959

Soviet leader Nikita Khrushchev reacted angrily during a visit to Los Angeles upon being told that for security reasons he wouldn't be allowed to visit Disneyland.

Nov. 16, 1959

The Rodgers and Hammerstein
musical "The Sound of Music"
opened on Broadway.

Nov. 2, 1959

Some show contestant
Charles Van Doren admitted to
a House sub committee that
he'd been given questions
and answers in advance
when he appeared on the
NBC + V program "Twenty one".

1959

The State of Fla. began buying
buildings in St. Augustine. Only
36 of 300 buildings were left. All
were saved

1959

The Dalai Lama has for hundreds of years been considered the temporal leader & spiritual protector of the Tibetan people. In 1959 the 14th Dalai Lama was forced into exile when Chinese troops occupied his homeland.

C 1959

Sabin vaccine (By mouth)
was administered to me
& my family

Jan 8, 1959

Charles de Gaulle was inaugurated
as president of France's Fifth
Republic

Oct 21, 1959

The Suggenheim Museum
in New York opened to the
public.

Sept 15, 1959

Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev
arrived in the U.S. to begin
a 13-day visit.

Nov. 19, 1959

Ford Motor Co. announced it
was halting production of the
unpopular "Edsel".

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The U.S. successfully test-fired
for the first time a Titan
intercontinental ballistic
missile from Cape Canaveral.

Jan 3, 1959

Pres. Eisenhower signed a
proclamation admitting
Alaska to the Union as the
49th state.

1959

Sesquicentennial of Lincoln's birth
saw a. new reverse put on
the Lincoln penny.

1959

Freie Typhoon struck
HONSHU, Japan causing 4,500
deaths and leaving 1,500,000
homeless.

3/18/1959

Pres. Eisenhower signed
the Hawaii statehood
bill.

Jan. 7, 1959

The U.S. recognized Fidel Castro's
new government in Cuba.

JAN 14, 1960

DANCE SCHOOL #2

JAN 21, 1960

DANCE SCHOOL #3

JAN 28, 1960

DANCE SCHOOL #4

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Feb 19, 1959

An agreement was signed
by Britain, Turkey, and Greece
granting Cyprus its
independence.

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Hawaii statehood Bill.

Apr. 15, 1959

Cuban leader Fidel Castro
arrived in Washington to begin
a goodwill tour of the United
States

Apr 25, 1959

The St Lawrence Seaway
opened to shipping.

1959

The U.S. launched the first
weather satellite, Explorer 6, which
sent televised pictures back to
Earth

July 14, 1959

The first nuclear warship
was 14,000-ton cruiser USS
Long Beach, launched on
July 14, 1959

1959

Microchip invented

1959

Mechanism of bacterial drug
resistance development.

Nov 20, 1959

The United Nations issued
its "Declaration of the Rights
of the Child."

1959-1964

KRUSCHEV is leader of Soviet
Government

Sept. 12, 1959

Soviet Union launched
LUNA 2, first man-made
object to impact the moon.

July 4, 1959

Alaska admitted

1959

Hovcraft

air-cushioned boat introduced
1959 by English engineers

Christopher S. Cockrell (1913-)

1968 - Ferry service across
English Channel began.

3 JAN 1959

ALASKA BECAME

49TH STATE

Aug 7, 1959

The United States launched Explorer 6, which sent back a picture of the Earth.

July 24, 1959

During a visit to the Soviet Union
Vice Pres. Richard M. Nixon engaged
in a "Kitchen Debate" with Soviet
leader Nikita Khrushchev at a U.S.
Exhibition

7 JAN 1959

U.S. RECOGNIZED
FIDEL CASTRO'S NEW
GOVERNMENT IN CUBA

